



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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USING DENDRIMERS AND DENDRIMER-COMPOSITIONAL  
SUBSTANCES**

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated May 31, 2006.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

A petition for a one-month extension of the time period for response is submitted with  
this paper.

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